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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Tobias W. Walker, et al.

Application No. _____

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For: MICRO LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAYS

Asst. Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Examiner: Not yet assigned

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination of this application, Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner enter the following amendment.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

On page 1, line 1, please add -- This application is a divisional application of co-pending prior application Serial No. 09/312,946, filed May 17, 1999.--

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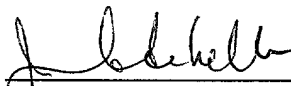
IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 1-19 and claim 52 before calculating the filing fee in the present application. Claims 20-51 remain pending.

If any shortage of fees is found in connection with this response, please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2666.

Respectfully submitted,
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